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57. The computer-readable medium of claim 54, the instructions further comprising:

receiving a SIP Cancel.

58. A apparatus comprising:

means for receiving a call from a caller, the call including 5 caller identification information;

means for accepting the call when the caller identification information matches an entry in a caller database;

means for prompting a subscriber to accept the call when the caller identification information does not match the 10 entry in the caller database;

means for sending a false ringing indication to the caller when the subscriber does not accept the call after being prompted.

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- **59**. The apparatus of claim **58**, further comprising: means for accepting the call when the subscriber accepts the call after being prompted.
- **60**. The apparatus of claim **58**, wherein the call is a Session Initiation Protocol (SIP) Invite.
- **61**. The apparatus of claim **58**, wherein the false ringing indication is a Session Initiation Protocol 180 Ringing.
 - **62**. The apparatus of claim **58**, further comprising: means for responding to the SIP Invite with a SIP 100 Trying.
 - **63**. The apparatus of claim **58**, further comprising: means for receiving a SIP Cancel.

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